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**RESPONSE TO MAY 15, 2008 OFFICE ACTION**

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Commissioner for Patents

The Assignee respectfully requests reconsideration and entry of the following amendment in response to the office action mailed May 15, 2008. The Assignee respectfully submits that the pending claims distinguish over the cited documents.